

## FIRST ROBBERY AND FIRST ESCAPE OF ROY GARDNER TOLD

Hon. Lucius R. Barrow, postmaster at San Diego, a position which he has held for nearly five years, but which he relinquishes today, arrived in the city yesterday as a witness for the defense in the case of Roy Gardner.

It was in April, 1920, that Gardner held up a mail wagon one morning almost in the shadow of the post-office building at San Diego, and it was for that offense that he was convicted and sentenced to 25 years in a federal penitentiary. And it was while he was being taken there that he made the first of the series of spectacular escapes in which his fame as a criminal rests. It was the belief of Mr. Barrow at the time of his trial that Gardner was unbalanced.

Mr. Barrow was formerly engaged in the printing trade and was at one time foreman of The Republican's composing room. He also served a term in the territorial legislature as a member of the assembly from Yavapai county.

He left here 12 years ago and went to San Diego, where he was foreman of the Union and the Tribune. He took an active part in Democratic politics and received his reward when the Democratic administration came in in 1913.

Mr. Barrow has now accepted a position with the Missouri State Life Insurance society, with headquarters in San Diego, at a salary of \$15,000 a year and office expenses.

Speaking of the mail robbery at San Diego, he said that his attention had been called to a man who had for some days been hanging about the lobby of the postoffice, standing at one of the writing desks or roaming about. He reached the conclusion that the stranger was a "nut." But that was Gardner, who was watching the deposit of registered mail.

His preparations for the coup were elaborate, more so than seemed necessary. He rented three rooms in the vicinity of the postoffice, in a district inhabited mostly by negroes. He bought \$1.50 worth of burnt cork and grease with which he disguised himself. He had carefully studied the movements of the mail wagons and the geography of that vicinity.

Early one morning Gardner held up the driver and compelled him to drive the wagon a short distance away, where the bandit leisurely went through the sacks, selected what he wanted and put the other matter into a suitcase. Later he deposited that case bearing his name within 80 yards of the police station.

The driver believed the robber to be a negro and that belief was strengthened by the fact that the last driver saw of him he was going in the direction of the negro settlement. The officers a few minutes later, while searching in that vicinity, passed a room which was lighted, and that fact made them pass it, it being inconceivable that the robber would be found in a lighted room. But Gardner was there trying to wash the grease paint off. He was arrested at Delmar a short time afterward on a suspicion that he was insane.

The robbery netted him very little. Most of the loot consisted of non-negotiable paper. At the time Gardner had \$500 in one of the San Diego banks, and the Union Iron works of Los Angeles owed him \$270. Mrs. Gardner came down from San Diego, and the money in the bank was turned over to her, and out of it she performed an act of charity.

Among the registered mail secured by Gardner was a letter containing \$200 which a poor woman of San Diego was sending to her sick husband at Calexico. This was recovered, but it could not be returned to the sender until after it had been released by the court. Mrs. Gardner made the amount good out of the funds of her husband which had been turned over to her.

It was the general impression, said Mr. Barrow, that Gardner was insane, and a commission was named for investigation, but Gardner refused to be examined and the matter was not pressed.

The story of his escape was also told by Mr. Barrow. He said that before leaving Los Angeles, Gardner asked Deputy U. S. Marshal Cavanaugh to telegraph his wife to meet him at Sacramento. This was promised to do so. When Mrs. Gardner did not come, Cavanaugh rather cold-bloodedly told Gardner that he had not sent the telegram.

From that time Gardner was sullen and planned his escape. He, with other prisoners, guarded by two deputies, were traveling in a state prison. Gardner snatched a gun from one of the guards and held both of them up. The guards were bound, Gardner attended to the binding of Cavanaugh himself. He tied him to a radiator with his arms behind him. He thrust the muzzle of the revolver into his mouth, threatening to let it go off. He beat him about the head and stomach, knocked out several of his teeth. He did not get much satisfaction from this performance that he kept it up for more than an hour. And at last, as he was climbing out of the window, he stopped long enough to deliver Cavanaugh a parting kick in the face.

## MARSHAL ENJOYS VISIT TO CANYON

Marshal Foch enjoyed his trip to the Grand Canyon more than either attention extended him during his entire trip, according to word brought back by Adjutant General Walter E. Ingalls, who returned yesterday from the canyon, where, with Acting Governor Ernest Hall, he extended the grandest of the state to the distinguished visitor.

Colonel Ingalls said that the French soldier confined to Mr. Hall that this was really the first time he had been permitted to see—the first enjoyment he had had free from speech making and entertainment.

Overcome with the magnificence of the canyon, the colonel said, the famous French soldier was awed into silence. After the first accustomed to the splendor, the soldier, gazing over the rim, turned to Mr. Hall and, with a shrug of the shoulders, remarked it would be a fine place to bring a mother-in-law.

Marshal Foch exchanged reminiscences of the war with Colonel Ingalls as he enjoyed the Hopi dance opposite the El Tovar hotel.

**CONSIDERING INSURANCE.**  
From the Washington Star.  
"You used to say you would never marry a man who drinks."  
"I might consider it now," replied Miss Cayenne. "With so much bootleg material in circulation I'd probably be a widow very soon unless he reformed."

## Sis Hopkins Wool Flannel Middies, at \$5.95, \$6.95, \$7.95

The much wanted Sis Hopkins all-wool flannel middie blouses, in navy and red; some with red, white and gold piping; some with self collars and emblems on sleeves; still others with contrasting color collars; especially smart are those of navy with red collars and cuffs. —(Second Floor)

## Bath Robes and Breakfast Coats

**Women's Wide Wale Corduroy Bath Robes and Breakfast Coats, At Each \$4.95**  
Warm, cozy, comfortable Bath Robes and Breakfast Coats generously fashioned of wide wale corduroy. Roomy, tailored robes in copen, rose, and purple. They will give a world of satisfactory service. Specially featured, at  
\$4.95  
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## Women's Beacon Bath Robes of Genuine Beacon Rob- ing, At \$4.75

Tailored styles fashioned of Beacon Bath Robing with new collars. These are Christmas gifts of high quality, inexpensively priced, at  
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—(Second Floor)

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Made of the very best quality Beacon Robing in the best patterns and colorings this famous bath robe fabric comes in. There are styles with soft roll collars and the newest in sailor collars. Effectively trimmed with satin ribbon down front, on pockets and cuffs. The best Bath Robes of their kind, at the very special price of  
\$7.50  
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## 54-Inch Bolivia Coatings, At A Yard, \$4.50

If you are in the market for a good grade coating, do not buy until you have seen this 54 inch Bolivia coating, that we are offering at a yard.  
\$4.50  
—(First Floor)

## A New Line of Women's Vanity Cases, At \$5.45

Made of washable and fancy leathers; silk moire lining; fitted with large mirror, coin purse, rouge box and lip stick; shown in black and brown. These are the very latest styles in vanity cases, and reasonably priced, at  
\$5.45  
—(First Floor)

## Ingersol Fountain Pens, At 89c

Fourteen karat gold Ingersol fountain pens with self filler. An ideal gift for a man or for a business woman. An unheard of value, at each, 89c.  
—(First Floor)

## Women's Onyx No. 364 Shadow Pure Thread Silk Hose, At A Pair, \$3.00

Full fashioned; high spliced heel, double sole and hem top; shown in black and gray. Women have been waiting for these popular shadow hose, and they are now here, at a pair,  
\$3.00  
—(First Floor)

## Kayser's Italian Silk Lace Hose For Women, At A Pair, \$4.00

Kayser's Italian silk lace hose—all silk from top to toe; full fashioned; hem top; pointed heel; double toe; here in black, brown, gray and white. Priced special, at  
\$4.00  
—(First Floor)

## The Famous No. 100 Onyx And No. 200 Polly Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk Hose For Women, At A Pair, \$2.25

Twelve strand, pure thread silk hose; full fashioned; silk lisle hem top, lisle heel and toe; shown in navy, oxford, pearl, medium grey, nude, Russian calf (taupe), black and white. These are the celebrated No. 100 Onyx and No. 200 Polly silk hose that are so much in demand and that make such pleasing Christmas gifts. Priced special for this event, at a pair,  
\$2.25  
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## Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose, At A Pair, \$1.39

Semi fashioned; silk lisle hem top, lisle heel and toe; shown in black and dark brown. A pre-holiday special, at a pair,  
\$1.39  
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The styles are the very newest; the materials are those now enjoying highest favor; the workmanship of every model is man tailored throughout. We consider this the best coat sale from the viewpoints of value and variety, presented this season. Women's and misses' sizes. —(Second Floor)

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## Women's All Wool Jersey Coats, for \$3.95

You will be astonished at the wonderful collection of smart all wool Jersey Sport Coats assembled at this low price; regular sizes in such colors as green, navy, red, brown and black. These are the heavier kind of Jersey Coats that go well with a novelty skirt and at the same time furnishes warmth as well as style.  
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Certainly it is not often that the opportunity comes for women to buy coats so capable of thorough satisfaction as Korrick's, through a special purchase, is able to offer in this sale at \$25.00.

From the lining out, which is excellent quality plain or fancy silk, if you please, these coats embody the features a woman always looks for when choosing her new winter coat; the favored fabrics are: Bolivia, Velour and Normandy in such serviceable colors as blue, brown, reindeer and black.

Coats with the ever popular Beaverette collar, others with plain collar. Embroidered backs, blouse backs, etc. Coats for women who seek the unusual in value and style.

Lovely coats indeed, in sizes 16 to 44. Women in search of a new winter coat, surely cannot afford to overlook such special values as these at \$25.00. Only 100 in the lot, so we advise early choice.  
—(Second Floor)

## Entire Stock of Furs and Fur Coats 20% Off

Masterly creations in Coats and Small Furs, superlative in quality and of dominant smartness. Whatever the trend of the individual taste, whatever the preferred Fur, it will be found at its best among these magnificent collections. Your especial attention is called to the very popular one and two piece Stone Marten Chokers as well as the fashionable Mole, Squirrel and Fox Furs, at 20% Off.  
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## New, Fresh, Holiday Merchandise For Early Shoppers, at Very Special Prices

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Semi fashioned; silk lisle hem top, lisle heel and toe; shown in black and dark brown. A pre-holiday special, at a pair,  
\$1.39  
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### Women's Onyx No. 105 Pointex Silk Hose, At A Pair, \$3.50

All over silk; full fashioned; double heel and toe; here in black only. These are the celebrated Pointex hose which women crave. Priced  
\$3.50  
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### Women's Phoenix Knit Silk Vests, \$2.50

Bodice style with washable ribbon tape over the shoulders; these lovely garments are shown in pink, orchid and white; all sizes. Excellent gifts, at  
\$2.50  
—(First Floor)

### Women's Phoenix Knit Silk Bloomers, At A Pair, \$4.00 and \$4.25

Plain and fancy weaves; double seat; shown in navy, pink, orchid and white. These garments make very acceptable gifts. A pair,  
\$4 and \$4.25  
—(First Floor)

### Women's 16-Button Import- ed Lambskin Gloves, At A Pair, \$6.00

Over seam sewn; trimmed with self stitching; shown in black and white. Values of the most extraordinary sort, at a pair,  
\$6.00  
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### Women's Imported Real Kid Gloves, At A Pair, \$2.75

Two clasp style; full pique sewn; trimmed with self stitching; the gloves are shown in black, white, seal brown and gray. Real values,  
\$2.75  
—(First Floor)

### Women's Imported Lamb- skin Gloves and Meyer's Washable Cape Strap Wrist Gauntlets, At A Pair, \$3.45

Imported lambskin gloves and the celebrated Meyer's washable cape strap wrist gauntlets; full pique sewn; three row embroidered back in self or contrasting color; shown in brown, black and white. Choose either kind, at a pair,  
\$3.45  
—(First Floor)

### Women's Strap Wrist Cape Gauntlets, At A Pair, \$2.50

Full pique sewn; embroidered back in self or contrasting color; the gauntlets are shown in brown, gray and black. Priced at a pair,  
\$2.50  
—(First Floor)

### Women's Imported Real Kid Wrist Strap Gauntlets, At A Pair, \$4.50

Full pique sewn; embroidered back in self or contrasting color; shown in white and dark brown. Excellent values, at a pair,  
\$4.50  
—(First Floor)

### Women's Cape And Mocha Gloves, At A Pair, \$2.75

One button style; full pique sewn; spear point and embroidered back; shown in mode, beaver and dark brown. Exceptional values,  
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### Women's Fine Colored Linen Handkerchiefs, 75c

Pure linen handkerchiefs in blue, yellow, old rose and green; Irish hand embroidered in designs that are exclusive. Ideal for Christmas gifts. Real values, at each,  
75c  
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### Women's Pure Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, 25c

Pure linen initial handkerchiefs in white with blue embroidered work. They are values of the most sensational sort, at each,  
25c  
—(First Floor)

### Women's Colored Embroid- ered Handkerchiefs, 25c

Colored hand embroidered on fine white muslin; wide or narrow hems. They are positively matchless, at each,  
25c  
—(First Floor)

### Women's Boudoir Caps, 59c

A new line of boudoir caps just received yesterday; developed of good grade satin and net; such colors as old rose, pink, blue, lavender and green. Inexpensive but very acceptable as  
59c  
—(First Floor)

### Women's Lace Vestees With Collars in Values Up To \$3.25, At \$1.75

All over lace, Venice lace and net; shown in white, cream and ecru; many of them have the Buster Brown and Tuxedo collars. A special purchase of these goods worth up to \$3.25, enables us to offer you choice  
\$1.75  
of the lot, at  
—(First Floor)

### Women's Lace Vestees, With Collars, \$1.49

Lace vestees with Buster Brown and Tuxedo collars; made of nets, all over lace, Venice lace, etc.; shown in cream, white and ecru. A fortunate purchase of these goods in values up to \$2.50 enables us to offer them to you at the extraordinary low price of  
\$1.49  
—(First Floor)

### A Special Lot of Women's Neckwear In Values Up To \$1.50, At Your Choice, 75c

The lot consists of Tuxedo and Buster Brown collars made of net, Venice lace, brown collar in cream, white and ecru; lace collar and cuff sets in white, cream and ecru; vestees with Buster Brown and Tuxedo collars, made of organdie, net, Venice lace, etc.; shown in white, cream and ecru. Values up to \$1.50. Choose from the lot,  
75c  
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### 40-Inch Canton Crepe, At A Yard, \$2.95

An excellent grade canton crepe in black, navy, brown and gray; 40 inches wide; one of the most popular materials of the entire season. Priced at a yard,  
\$2.95

### 40-Inch Canton Crepe, At A Yard, \$3.39

A better grade canton crepe in black, navy, brown, orchid, cherry and fuchsia; 40 inches wide. This crepe must be seen to be appreciated. Priced at a yard,  
\$3.39

### 40-Inch Crepe De Chine, At A Yard, \$1.19

Shown in all the most desirable shades; 40 inches wide; a crepe de chine that will give the best of satisfaction. Priced at a yard,  
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### 32-Inch To 40-Inch Silk Shirtings, At A Yard, \$1.95

Buy the silk shirting at the present low price and make him a silk shirt for Christmas. He is sure to appreciate a gift of this nature. We are offering 32 inch to 40 inch all silk shirtings in a good assortment of patterns,  
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### 56-Inch All Wool Navy Serge, At A Yard, \$1.95

An excellent quality all wool navy French serge; sponged and shrunk. A real value, at a yard,  
\$1.95  
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### 44-Inch All Wool French Serge, At A Yard, \$1.95

A heavy weight all wool French serge in brown, burgundy and navy; sponged and shrunk; 44 inches wide. An unequalled value, at a yard,  
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